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## INTERESTING LU'AU TODAY

### Flower Sellers Receive Cheer From Friends Far Away.

Thanks to the generous hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Stolber of Denver, Colo., a lu'au is to be given for the native flower sellers of Honolulu, men as well as women, at Haalelela Lawn at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The donors are at present in Paris, but they have remitted money for the feast to Mrs. John S. McGrew. Mrs. Haalelela kindly offered the lawn, and J. W. L. McGuire was engaged to superintend the preparation of the lu'au. Besides the standard elements of a native feast, there will be fresh beer for the guests.

Mrs. McGrew has obtained from the flower sellers a complete list of their names for the making out of cards of admission, which must be shown at the gate as a precaution against imposture. There are about sixty persons on the list of those entitled to the hospitality of the absent host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Stolber visited Honolulu some time ago, when they distributed a great deal of money in a quiet way for charity. Several benevolent societies here benefited in funds by their bounty. Mrs. Stolber patronized the flower sellers at their sidewalk mart very liberally, and found them so pleasant in demeanor toward her that she has carried a friendly regard for them to the other side of the globe. Today's entertainment is the outcome of that feeling. She could not have made a better choice than Mrs. McGrew as her representative in carrying out the kind-hearted remembrance of Honolulu's most picturesque guild of merchants.

### The Marriageable Age.

Glancing down a carefully compiled list of fashionable weddings celebrated during the last eighteen months, it was found that the average bridal age worked out at a trifle over 25, which is also said to be the age of our newest Anglo-American Duchess.

Ideas on the subject of the marriageable age have changed with changing years, and no one will deny that the change is for the better.

It would be considered outrageous now for girls to marry at the age when many of their grandmothers took up the cares and responsibilities which that step almost invariably entails. Girls of 14 and 15 were then looked upon as women grown.

Their granddaughters of today at the same age are little else than children, scarcely half way through school life.

With the next generation the marriageable age moved a step or two in the right direction; but even then girls were classed as old maids at a much earlier age than any one would dream of so considering them today.

In contemporary fiction, the blooming "sweet seventeen" (or thereabouts) was the favorite heroine, but today the ingenue, or boarding school miss, is relegated comparatively to the background.

Something more than a fresh complexion and bright eyes (charming and highly desirable as these undoubtedly are) is required of a girl. She must be, if not actually interesting and cultured, at least chatty and conversant with current topics. She must have tact and adaptability, so as to avoid extremes of all kinds; of being either too obviously delighted by passing attentions from men, or, on the other hand, aggressively independent of the little courtesies which any well-bred man will naturally extend to a pleasant girl into whose society circumstances may have thrown him. Indeed, anywhere between 20 and 30, a girl is more likely to be sought after than before she is twenty years old.

One frequently hears thoughtful girls remark that they prefer men older than themselves to boys of their own age. This is probably because of the well known fact that girls develop earlier than boys. On the other hand, the old cast iron rule (cited by Shakespeare in the familiar quotation, "Let still the woman take an older than herself") does not obtain to anything like the same extent as formerly.

Much discrepancy in age (despite happy exceptions) is generally rather to be deprecated but just as much so where the man is the elder, unless he happens to be of a young and intensely sympathetic disposition. Old maids or bachelors, as we much more descriptively term them nowadays, make much better wives than old bachelors do husbands. The latter are likely to be so crusted over with solitary self-sufficing habits as to make a perilous probability of their being more or less uncompanionable. The average woman, being by habit more unselfish, can adapt herself more easily to sympathize with other tastes and proclivities.—London Daily Mail.

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The legend is well written and the artistic element reflects great credit up on Mr. Jacobson.

Though but few people here have seen this book, nearly all have heard of it and will be glad of the opportunity to secure a copy.

PRICE 25 CENTS.

Some years ago, Vance Thompson was asked by his editor to secure a Christmas story if he could from Sarah Bernhardt, who was playing in New York at the time. Her secretary suggested that Thompson write a story and let her sign it as if it were her own. Accordingly, he turned out a pretty little story called "Noel." The next day, Sarah read, approved, and dashed her stunning signature on both manuscripts, and the French version and the English were printed side by side. The other day, when he visited Sarah in Paris at her big house in the Boulevard Pereire, Thompson found that she had forgotten him. He discovered this fact when he picked up a beautifully illustrated book by the tragedienne, which, to his surprise, was "Noel." Mr. Thompson was staring at it, as one stares at the ghost of an old sweetheart, when Mme. Sarah came, swift-footed, rustling in an orange-tawny morning-gown. "Oh," she exclaimed, noticing the book in his hand, "have you read it? A little thing, but real—une tranche de la vie. It was an event in my own life that haunted me and haunted me until I simply had to write it—a fragment of my childhood—ah, those days, those days!"

Judge Colt, of the Circuit Court of the United States District of Massachusetts, deserves the congratulations and thanks of the American people for the broad and sweeping decision rendered November 9, 1903, restraining Adams, Taylor Co., of Boston, Mass., from using the word "Club" in connection with bottled cocktails. The complainants, G. F. Heublein & Brother, have spent much time and money in introducing the celebrated Club Cocktails, which, like all well known and staple articles, have more or less been imitated. This decision means not only protection to the maker of the goods, but affords equal protection to the purchaser, and simplifies the matter of getting what you want and pay for.

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## TO REHEARSE FLORODORA

### A Charity Performance to Be Shortly Given.

The first rehearsal of Florodora, to be presented for the benefit of the organ fund of the Catholic church at Waikiki will be held on Tuesday evening next at the Mission hall, cathedral grounds, Fort street. The organ is shortly to be delivered and the receipts of the opera are looked to to complete the necessary payments. A number of prominent ladies of the Catholic church are taking up the patronage of the performance and the meeting originally planned for tonight has been postponed to allow of a junction between the patronesses, who will discuss plans for the furtherance of the project.

Invitations to take part will be issued within the next few days under the authority of the patronesses. There is a long cast to fill, twenty-six speaking characters, besides the celebrated sextette and the special chorus features and no definite selections have yet been made although there are many applicants for roles.

The special scenic effects have already been made and advertising will shortly be started. The opera will be given in February. Allan Dunn and Prof. D'Albert are in charge of the active work with the hearty cooperation of Father Valentin.

### Children of Lepers.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 20.—After having spent the past eleven years caring for the children of the lepers of the Hawaiian Islands, Sister Albina of the Franciscan order, who formerly was Miss Miriam Sluder of St. Louis, has arrived here on a visit to her parents. Sister Albina said that the common belief that children of lepers inherit the disease is erroneous.

"We take the children when they are

two days old," she said, "and we have never had a case where leprosy has developed in after years. The children mostly all come from the island of Molokai, where the leper colony is located."

### Generous to a Degree.

Wahiawa received a generous down-pour of rain yesterday which insures the patrons of the Clark Farm Co. that their supplies of good things, such as "green peas in the pod not a day old," cabbage, Hubbard squash, tomatoes, and various other vegetables, are in the best of condition and are found only at 1129 Fort St. opp. Love Bldg. Also parsnips, leeks and spinach from Manoa. Don't forget our Jersey milk and cream at prices to suit the times. CLARK FARM CO., LTD., 1129 Fort St., opp. Love Bldg.

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### FOOTBALL TIE MAY BE PLAYED OFF

There may be a game of football between the Punahou and H. A. C. teams this afternoon, and then again there may not. The above conclusion is about as definite a one as could be formed after the meeting of the Football League held at the Y. M. C. A. last evening.

It seems that at a meeting of the Honolulu Athletic Club team held on Wednesday, it was decided that the tie between Punahou and themselves should be settled the first game of next season. The postponement could not be made without the consent of the League, and accordingly last night's meeting was called to settle the matter. Upon a vote being taken it was found that the H. A. C. representative had taken a stand exactly the opposite of the stand taken by his team earlier in the week. Accordingly the vote stood two to two, Honolulu and Maile voting that the game should be played according to schedule, and Punahou and the Artillery voting against. The chair settled the matter by casting his vote in favor of the game being played.

Therefore in accordance with the League's ruling the H. A. C.—Punahou game is called for 2:30 p. m. today, and the team not appearing on the field at that time forfeits the game to the other team. Whether both teams will appear today, or whether any will appear remains to be seen. Punahou has not turned out for practice since their last game several weeks ago. The H. A. C.'s have been practicing regularly, and a majority of them have, though some of their good men have not turned out of late.

Unless a late agreement of some kind be reached between the "powers that be" in the two teams, it is probable that Punahou will turn out this afternoon, rather than let the game go by default.

As to what the game will amount to may be judged from the amount of practice which the two teams have had since they last met.

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